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AMENDMENTS TO CLAIMS

1. (Original) A photoactive electronic device comprising:

(a) an anode;

(b) a cathode, said cathode having a work function energy level E_3;

(c) a photoactive layer positioned between said anode and said cathode, said photoactive layer comprising a cyclometalated complex of a transition metal, said cyclometalated complex having a LUMO energy level E_2 and a HOMO energy level E_4; and

(d) an electron transport and/or anti-quenching layer positioned between said cathode and said photoactive layer, said electron transport and/or anti-quenching layer having a LUMO energy level E_1 and a HOMO energy level E_5,

with the proviso that:

(1) $E_1 - E_3 < 1V$,

(2) $E_1 - E_2 > -1V$, and

(3) $E_4 - E_5 > -1V$.

2. (Original) The device of Claim 1 wherein $E_1 - E_2 > 0$.

3. (Original) The device of Claim 1 wherein $E_4 - E_5 > 0$.

4. (Original) The device of Claim 1 wherein said electron transport and/or anti-quenching layer has an electron mobility of at least 10^{-7} $cm^2/(V\cdot sec)$.

5. (Canceled)

6. (Canceled)

7. (Canceled)

8. (Canceled)

9. (Canceled)

10. (Canceled)

11. (Canceled)

12. (Original) The device of Claim 1 wherein the electron transport and/or anti-quenching layer comprises a quinoxaline derivative.

13. (Currently Amended) The device of Claim 12 wherein the quinoxaline derivative has Formula V, ~~shown in Figure 8,~~

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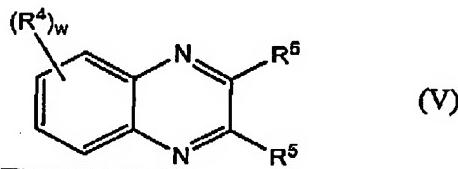
wherein:

R^4 and R^5 are the same or different at each occurrence and are selected from H, F, Cl, Br, alkyl, heteroalkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, heteroaryl, alkylenearyl, alkenylaryl, alkynylaryl, alkyleneheteroaryl, alkenylheteroaryl, alkynylheteroaryl, $C_nH_aF_b$, $OC_nH_aF_b$, $C_6H_cF_d$, and $OC_6H_cF_d$, or both of R^5 together may constitute an arylene or heteroarylene group;

a, b, c, and d are 0 or an integer such that $a+b = 2n + 1$, and $c + d = 5$;

n is an integer; and

w is 0 or an integer from 1 through 4.

14. (Original) The device of Claim 13 wherein n is an integer from 1 through 12.

15. (Currently Amended) The device of Claim 12 wherein the quinoxaline derivative is selected from Formulae V(a), V(b), V(d) through V(i) and V(k) through V(ag) in Figure 9.
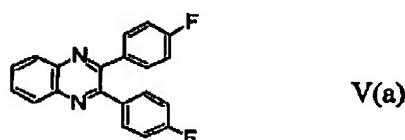
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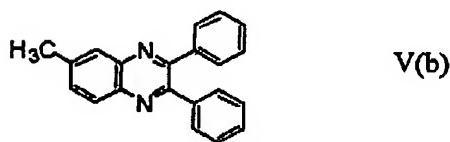
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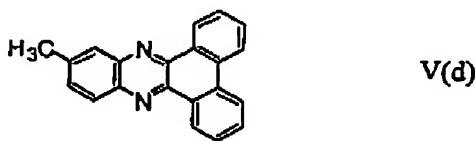
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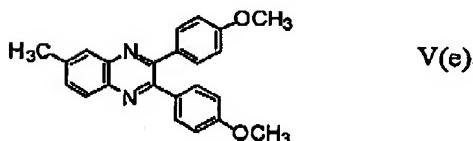
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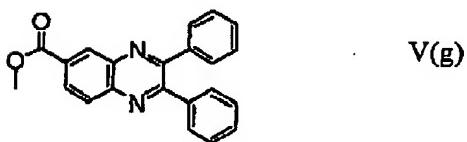
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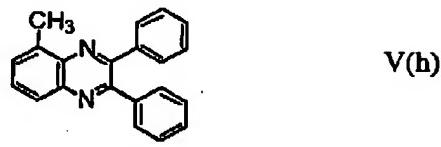
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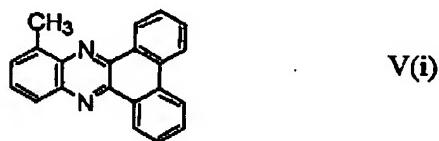
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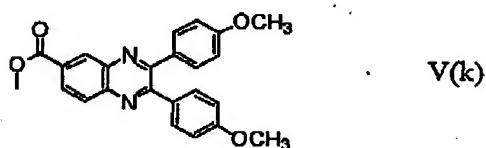
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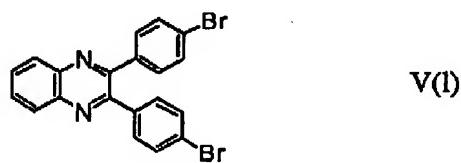


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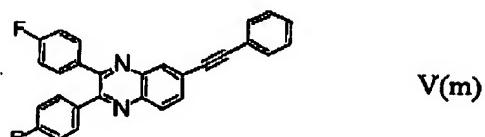
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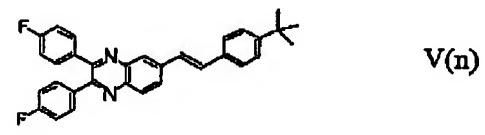
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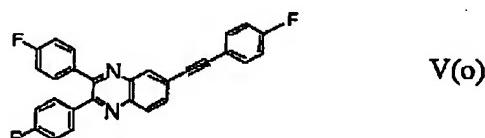
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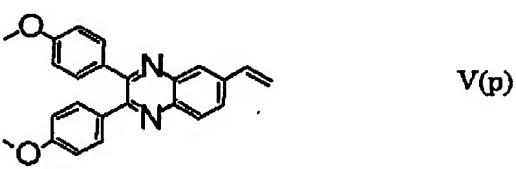
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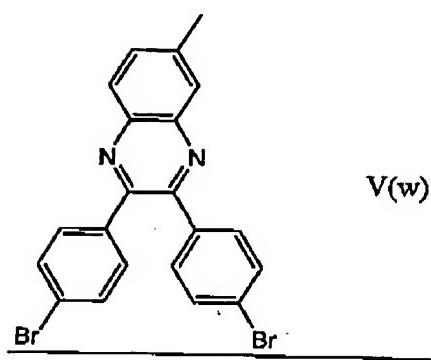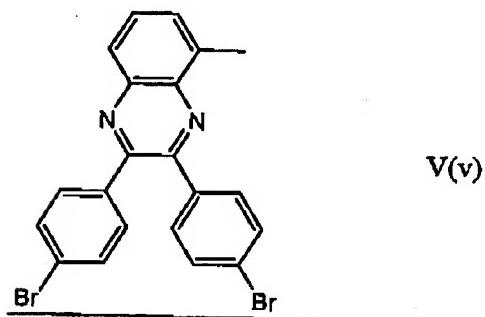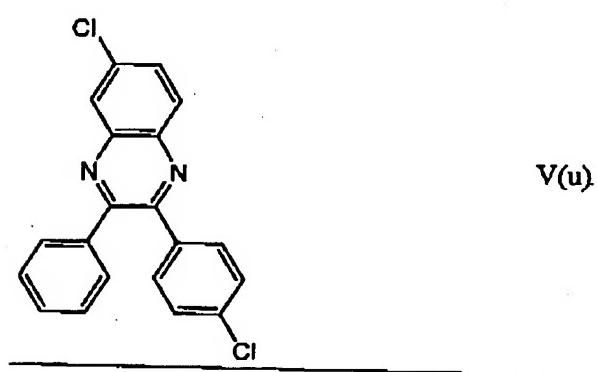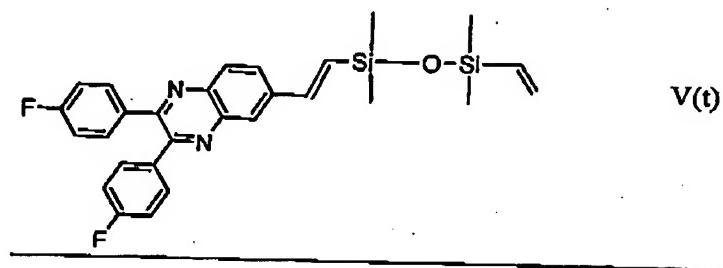
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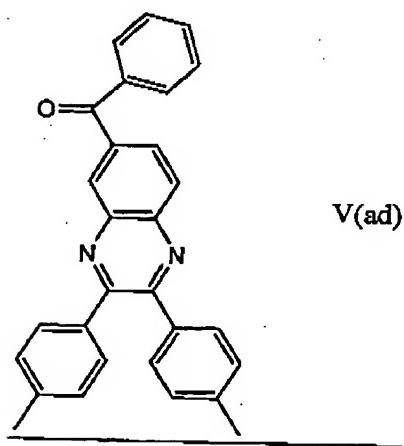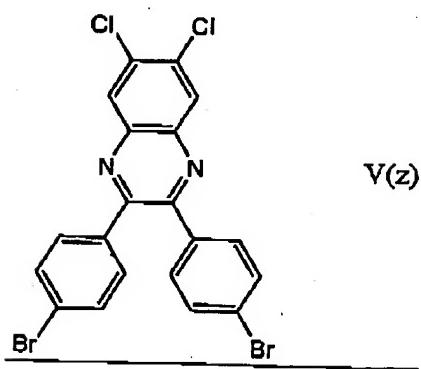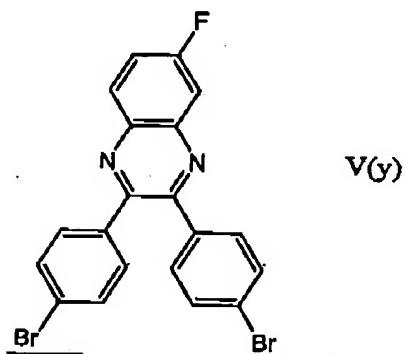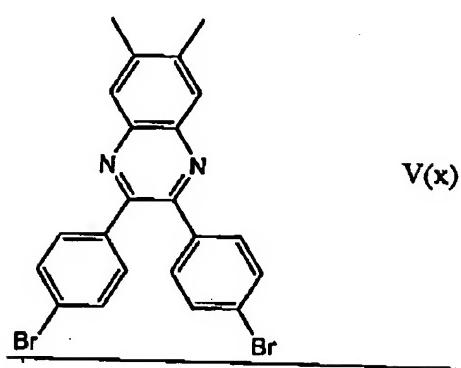
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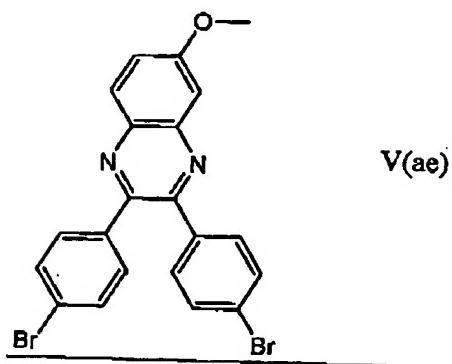
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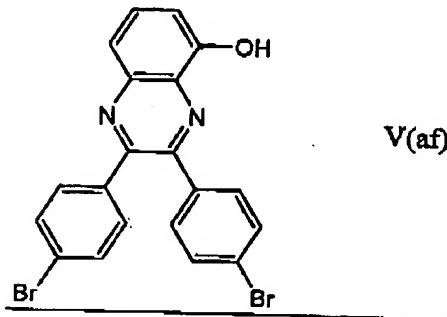
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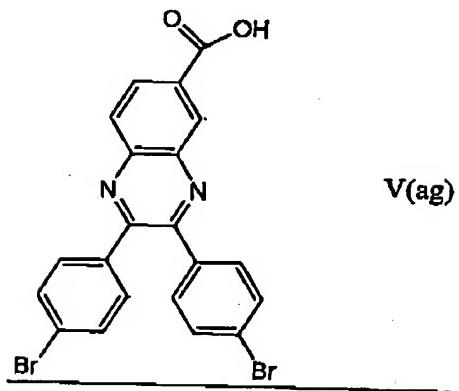
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16. (Canceled)

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23. (Currently Amended) The device of <u>any one of</u> Claims 1-~~4~~22 <u>and 12-15,</u> wherein the device is a light-emitting diode, a light-emitting electrochemical cell, or a photodetector.